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NEW CEMETERY CONSECRATED

Extension To Churchyard Of Old St. Andrew's Consecrated By Right Reverend L. W. B. Broughall, Bishop Of Niagara, On Thursday Evening Last—Was Originally Church Property.

The recently acquired extension to the Churchyard of St. Andrew's Church was solemnly consecrated last Thursday evening, June 13th, by the Right Reverend L. W. B. Broughall, Bishop of Niagara. In clear evening sunlight the assembled congregation stood with the Bishop on the new ground, heard the petition for consecration, joined in the psalms and prayers, and heard the solemn words of consecration whereby the ground was separated for its sacred purpose for ever.

At the request of the Bishop the Rector read the Sentence of Consecration acording to the rites prescribed by the Church of England in Canada.

This ceremony was reminiscent of a similar one which took place 103 years previously when the original Churchyard was consecrated. In 1843 and also on June 13th when Grimsby was in the Diocese of Toronto which then covered the whole Province of Ontario, the famous Bishop John Strachan consecrated the place which had already been in use for over half a century as a burying-ground. A little imagination is all that is necessary to picture the scene as it was that day, and a precious association with an earlier day is thereby established.

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What Time Is It?

From the array of clocks showing in this photo no one who entered here was at a loss for time. Memory says that no two clocks were ever the same time. More than one business was carried on in this store at one and the same time. Where was the store located? Who was the watchmaker and the jeweller who sold you the two rings that ended your blissful single life?

Just A Century Ago

SCENIC GRANDEUR OF GRIMSBY IS DESCRIPTIVELY RELATED

Camo Wrote: "There Is A Strange Mixture Of Feelings, Indicative Of Joy And Sadness, In Contemplating The Beauteous Scene" — Forty Mile Creek Is Praised.

NOTE—The following story about Grimsby appeared in The Spectator on Saturday night last in the column "Sketches by Gamo" and was written and printed in The Spectator 100 years ago—ED.

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Who that has ever visited Grimsby and its vicinity has not been charmed with the rural beauty of that delightful locality. I sometimes think, with its ancient-like church, orchards and little garden plots, that it much resembles an old country hamlet. Unlike many other Canadian villages, it bears no trace whatever of the forest that existed where it now stands.

Approaching the village of Grimsby from the Hamilton side, various places, highly picturesque, attract attention; among which is the beautiful residence of Mr. Williamson, commanding an admirable view of Lake Ontario, it stands a short distance from the road, with a green plot in front, adorned by a few shady trees. A little farther on is the celebrated village of Stoney Creek, a place memorable in the annals of Canada. Here the never-to-be-forgotten battle was fought between the British and American forces, gloriously resulting in honour for the former—the achievement of which reflects a brilliant lustre on the British name. What American can behold this scene of bloodshed without regretting the defeat his country sustained on that day?

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Cherry Ceiling

Based on the Grimsby prices, ceilings on cherries for the current season were announced today by the Prices Board: 6-quart flat baskets, $1.99; 6-quart leno, $2.44,. 11-quart. flats, $3.36. Transportation charges are added as from Grimsby.

Brickyard Fires Will Burn Again

Once again, after a long spell of idleness, fires will burn in the kilns at the plant of the Grimsby Brick and Tile Co. on No. 8 Highway east.

If nothing unforeseen turns up fires will be kindled in the kilns on Saturday of this week and on Monday morning they will be filled and burning will be on in earnest.

Work is going on apace at the plants and it is expected that the whole works will be in full swing within 10 days when a full line of brick, tile blocks, draining tile, sewage tiles and other products will go on the market.

It is the intention of the new owners to operate the plant on a 24 hour basis.

H. C. Holcombe, Bell Telephone headquarters, Toronto, was a visitor to Grimsby last Friday. Mr. Holcombe was Bell Tel. manager in Grimsby from 1913 to 1918.

Juvenile Jungle At The Beach

Constable Gillings Makes Startling Discovery When Investigating Strawberry Thefts — Toronto Lads Seeing World.

Provincial Constable "Bill" Gillings last Friday received complaints from residents at Grimsby Beach that some young lads were stealing strawberries from different patches.

Upon investigation he discovered a "jungle hoboes jungle" on the vacant land adjacent to the bridge crossing the Queen Elizabeth Way where three 13 year old boys from Toronto had built a shelter from the weather against the bridge abutments and had moved in long grass and brush to serve as "shakedowns."

The lads stated that they had purloined some canned goods and cigarettes from the store of one of the lad's father before starting out to see the world. When the canned goods played ou they started to raid strawberry patches.

Constable B. Gillings communicated with Toronto and on Saturday the young globe trotters were back home with their parents and probably a visit to the woodshed.

DRIVE IS ON FOR CLOTHING

Grimsby Citizens Are Asked to Donate Every Piece of Clothing And Bedding They Can Spare — Deliver Packages to C. N. R. Freight Sheds—Do Not Let Grimsby Fall Down.

We are again asked to contribute to the National Clothing Drive which takes place from June 17th to June 29th.

This time we plan to organize in a different manner owing to the fact that it is impossible to secure any place which could be used for a collection depot.

We hope that the citizens of Grimsby and North Grimsby will co-operate to make this effort another Grimsby success.

Each Householder is asked to look for "What they can spare that the needy can wear."

Tie these articles securely in bundles or cartons. Use plenty of paper and tring so that the bundles will not break open. Instead of delivering these bundles to a central depot, Mr. Lindensmith, at the C.N.R. Station has very graciously consented to use his freight shed for a receiving room. The bundles should be delivered there in good order.

They will then be tagged and sent freight collect to the Pure Food Building Toronto, where all the sorting will be done. This should not be a hard task when we realize how thankful we should be

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New Club Formed For Winona Men

New Orgamization Begins Life With Membership Of 45—Keith Milliken Is First Presidemt.

A dinner meeting attended by all the men in the district, interested in such a scheme, was held at Innisville Hotel. Mr. K. C. Milliken was chairman of this meeting and Mr. Bruce Giffen of Stoney Creek was guest speaker. Mr. Giffen spoke at great length on the formation and accomplishments of the Stoney Creek Men's Club.

After a discussion period a vote was taken on whether a club should be formed in Winona and 45 men signified their willingness to join and to work actively in such a club. Following this, the club was organized with the following men elected to the various offices:

K. C. Milliken, President.
Morton Found, Vice President.
Howard Bridgman, Secretary.
Roy Bailey, Treasurer.

A Board of Governors consisting of:-

G. Hambrook, Art Arkell, Geo. Marfei, F. I. Carpenter and Thomas Collins.

A meeting of these men is scheduled for Thursday evening of this week to draw up the constitution and elect committees and draft out a tentative program for submission at the next meeting.

Oh, For The Olden Days

When this picture was taken gingham was five cents a yard and butter 10 cents a pound. "Dad" got a square foot of "eatin'" tobacco for a nickle. When was this picture taken? What store was it and who was the proprietor? There is a lot of Grimsby history surrounding this pile of brick and mortar.

Peaches And Cream

OLD TIMERS WOULD NOT KNOW COUNTY LEGISLATIVE CHAMBER

Painters Have Created A Dreamy Atmosphere For Members To Build Their "Castles In Spain" — More Room Has Been Provided For Argument.

Peaches and cream may be a very tasty dish for the majority of persons but to the members of the Lincoln County Council the expression typifies the renovated chambers in the county building.

Quite a surprise would be forthcoming to old-time members of the county council if they should walk into the council chambers today. Gone is the old inadequate lighting system, gone also is the drab appearance of dusty moulding and walls. Today, the room is bright and cheerful and the new lighting system spreads a soft glow over the new peach and cream painting on walls and woodwork.

For some time the members of the council have been of the opinion that something ought to be done about the room but during the war years more important matters were on hand to be dealt with by the council. Consequently, the repainting and redecorating had to wait until an opportune time.

This year, council authorized the General Administration committee under the chairmanship of Reeve R. A. Saunders of Beamsville to start the ball rolling on modernizing the whole building. Naturally,

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Returns Home

C.G.M.S., J. Harvey Easson, son of J. S. and Mrs. Easson, Main west, who arrived home from overseas last week after three years service in England and Germany.

Burdocks Grow Big In Grimsby

Botanical Student Informs The Independent That They Are The Largest On The Continent.

A resident of Grimsby, who through his fairly long life, has made a study of Botany and incidentally has travelled widely, comes up with the astonishing more prolific in Grimsby than in any other place on the continent. Moreover, he avers, there is apparently less effort made by the individual citizen and the town officials to eradicate this pest, than in any other place on the continent.

He argues that with practically no effort made to do away with this noxious weed, and with dogs and cats as spreaders of the seed, the time will soon come when visitors to the Fruit Belt will be unable to see the fruit trees for burdocks.

Dogs and cats get the burs from the burdocks tangled in their hair and wandering aimlesaly along

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Charlie Norman Is Transferred

Changes are being made in the local staff of the Bell Telephone office. Charlie Norman for the past four years plant supervisor for the Grimsby district is being transferred to Hamilton. Who his successor will be has not been announced.

Charlie has been a fine resident of Grimsby as well as an excellent "trouble shooter." He was a crack five pin bowler and a great booster for all other sports. It is with regret that The Independent sees Charlie and Mrs. Norman leave our midst.

Grimsby Weather

Week ending at 8 a.m., Monday, June 17.

Highest temperature	83.6
Lowest temperature	42.0
Mean temperature	62.0
Precipitation	0.02 inches

NEWSPRINT IS A NIGHTMARE

Is Upsetting The Independent's Business Equilibrum — It's a Regular Squeeze Play — Causes Reduction in Staff — Paper Must be "Packed" Beyond Proper Proportions — Down to Our Last Sheet Last Week.

Through no fault of our own, and as much as we regret it, The Independent is forced to make changes in its reportorial staff, in fact reduce it.

J. Gordon McGregor who for the past six months months has been our Beamsville representative, and through the winter handled hockey asignments, has been laid off, temporarily we hope, as "Gord" has proved to us that he has the ability, with training, to become a smart newspaperman.

This change is brought about through the newsprint situation. When The Independent came off the press last Thursday morning it looked like the last issue, for how long? Every scrap of newsprint in the office was used up. Friday morning one-half of our tonnage order that should have been delivered the middle of May arrived. No one knows when the other half will get here; or if delivery will be made at all of the order due to come in the first part of August.

This situation forces us to pack a 10 page paper into eight pages, and a 12 page paper into 10 pages, if it is at all possible to do so. In other words when we have a 10 page paper it should really be a 12 page paper, under the proper proportioning of advertising and news matter, in order to give both advertisers and readers a fair break.

"Packing" a paper is no fun. It is just a headache for every member of the staff. Good news is forced out and the make-up man

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Not Misquoted Or Misinformed

St. Catharines Alderman Fails To Put His Bluff Over Lincoln County Warden—Short Session.

As the Lincoln County Council commenced its June sessions Tuesday morning in St. Catharines, Warden Robert M. Johnston of Port Dalhousie issued a sharp rejoinder to Alderman Wilfrid Ball of the St. Catharines City Council, regarding a statement concerning the Lincoln County Citizens' Committee.

During the May sessions, Warden Johnston stated that "he hoped the City of St. Catharines would live up to its agreement with the committee." The matter came up at that time when a cheque was received from the Citizens' committee for $600. Council was informed that the county's contribution to the committee was reduced due to the fact that the City of St. Catharines had reduced its financial support from the $5,600 requested to $4,400.

At the June 3rd meeting of the City Council, Alderman Ball said that it was only fair to assume that Warden Johnston had been misinformed or misquoted in regard to his statement. Replying to Alderman Ball Tuesday morning, Warden Johnston declared that he

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Full Details Of Cherry Ceilings

Trucking Zone Is From Kingston on The East to Severn River in The North

Ottawa, June 17 (CP).—The Prices Board today announced ceiling prices for domestic and imported cherries this season would be the same as those in effect in 1944 and 1945, effective immediately.

The announcement added that no changes have been made in last year's trucking zone in Southwestern Ontario, which extends east to Kingston and north to the Severn River. Within the trucking zone wholesalers' ceilings are the same whether they buy from shippers, truckers or growers and shippers are limited to a 7 per cent markup over the grower price.

Trucking zone transportation costs allowed will be the express rate for less than carload lots from Grimsby, Ont., regardless of where the cherries are grown.

Outside the zone, shippers' markup is 10 per cent of grower price

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Fruit Inspection

Determined that fruit growers live up to regulations, a considerable number of inspectors of the Dominion Dept. of Agriculture fruit branch are checking on quality and pack of early cherries and strawberries being shipped from Niagara peninsula points. Shipments have already reached the stage that the C.N.R. is running a special fruit train each evening.

A NICE SITUATION

The following Canadian Press despatch speaks for itself:

WALLACEBURG, Ont., JUne 14—For the first time in many years the Wallaceburg Weekly News yesterday was unable to publish. A sign on the main entrance of the newspaper plant read: "Paper publication postponed. No newsprint." An official said this week's edition would be printed when a fresh stock of paper arrives.

Century-old grave stones, in St. Andrew's Churchyard, Grimsby.

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Frank Fairborn, Jr.

A DAMSEL'S LAMENT

Just give me a man
With a million or two
Or one that is handsome
Would happily do.
A dashing young fellow
Is swell any day
Or one that is famous
Would suit me OK
But if the man shortage
Should get any worse
Go back to the very
First line of the verse.

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SCARING THE BIRDS

Here is an idea that might prove worth while to local cherry growers, who in the past few years have been pestered to death with starlings eating a big proportion of their crop. Give it a try.

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Down in Ellsworth, Maine, an ingenious farmer has a new invention to keep birds from eating his crops. Caught with the mood of this mechanical age, he has placed alarm clocks under tin pails, at various points throughout his fields. The alarms are set to sound off at intervals, and with the clocks under the pails, the clamor of the alarm is increased.

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The farmer claims his idea is a success. However, it is sad to see the old-fashioned scarecrow with its frock coat flapping in the breeze, being replaced by an alarm clock.

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But success, it seems, is the thing, and the old-fashioned scarecrow was not always successful. We recall many occasions when hungry birds would defy the stationary man in the middle of the garden. And often as not they would add insult to injury by perching on one of the outstretched arms.

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They say no invention is without its counter-measure. And so it is our wager that even though the Ellsworth farmer is having success just now, it won't be long before the hungry birds will get wise.

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TWILIGHT OF EMPIRE

The 12,000,000 people in London City did not provide evidence of the twilight of the British Empire. The New York Times, in a stirring editorial, expresses the belief that if there is any twilight at all, it is not the one which precedes darkness but only the dawn that heralds and cometh before the day. One age passes. The reference is to imperialism, the Empire possibly of Kipling.

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Here is how a great American newspaper appraises the Victory celebration in London: "It may have been twilight. Old men and women who remembered Victoria's Jubilee may have sighed even as the colorful troops of the Dominion and the Colonies, the desert horsemen, the spearsmen, the survivors of the Coventry and Plymouth raids, marched by; even as the fireworks roared joyously into the murky sky. Power and dominion have lost their savor in men's mouths. The 12,000,000 must have wanted security and peace far more than martial glory.

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But there is the twilight that precedes dawn as well as that which brings in the night. Yesterday's Empire is not dwindling under conquest. The Dominions are free because they wished to be, and in being free they may cling more closely than ever to the homeland. In India, over which Victoria was Empress, a British Cabinet mission is working patiently to find a formula and system for freedom. Freedom for the scattered colonies is at least envisaged as part of the future. As the idea of empire dies the idea of friendly association takes its place.

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"One age passes. Another and a better one succeeds it. A new England, a new kind of empire, was born six years ago out of the agony of Dunkirk. New problems, new dangers, come with the new day. But there was an evidence of faith in the cheers that greeted the royal family and Prime Ministers past and present, in the skirling of the massed pipes playing 'Hieland Laddie,' that gave good evidence that these people considered it a day that was coming and not a night."

HOME, SWEET HOME

The favorite old song of "Home, sweet home," exalts the dwelling in which one lived in his early days, or to which he has become attached.

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It may be a very plain and simple sort of place, but his long attachment to it has become a deep affection. Its features seem pleasant to him when he goes far away, and he longs to get back to it.

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The same feeling of sweetness and affection should be felt for the town where one lives or where he grew up.

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Its scenes should be full of romance and attraction to him, even if they are not very elaborate and costly.

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He should be endeared to it by ties of warm friendship made there, by many interesting experiences, and many opportunities the home town has given to him.

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GETTING POSIES TO POSE

Canada's wild flowers, which have considerably multiplied during several years of restricted driving, now face a new hazard as thousands of posy-picking motorists are again free to swarm the countryside.

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Flowers thus thoughtlessly plucked, and often destroyed, hardy though they may be in their native habitat, wilt so quickly that they are useless as bouquets.

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Color photography seems to offer a solution. Film so sensitive that it records delicate hues faithfully may be purchased in photo-supply shops, even in small towns. Thus the blossoms are left for others to enjoy. Moreover, the color photographs won't wilt.

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THE ICY WELCOME

A paragrapher, remarking on some device for de-icing the wings of airplanes, says that something is needed to de-ice the communities where strangers and newcomers are not given a warm welcome.

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This is a good idea, for it is not a pleasant thing for people to move into a town where they are strangers, and to have people greet them coolly and pay little attention to them. People rarely mean to be frosty, but their minds are often occupied with their own activities, and they may not find any time to give to newcomers .It is far better to greet the newcomers warmly, to spend time talking with them, and to invite them to join some organization or take hold of some form of public work in a church or society. In that way people get acquainted and make friends, and they are welcomed and feel at home in their new location.

Beautiful flower boxes in front of Hotel Grimsby.

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Supt. Lawrie and his gang repairing the sidewalks.

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Six a.m. "The Deserted Village," not even Chief Turner in sight.

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The new advertising sign on the west wall of Mayor Bull's shop.

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Farrow Bros. redecorating the interior of West's tonsorial emporium.

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Jockey Sutherland in town talking about the peach crop instead of race horses.

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Who gave Mac Signs permission to change Hugh's name from WhYte to WhIte?

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Donald Fisher, high up on The Independent building, greasing the Old Town Bell.

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When are the large concrete flower wells in front of The Village Inn going to be planted with blooms?

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Residents in the west end still complaining, and rightly so, about the noisy motorcyclists. What about it Police Commissioner Bonham.

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The owner of that maroon coach with the yellow trim, which parked so close up to The Independent building that people wishing to do business with Grimsby Wood Products (upstairs) could not gain entrance. Grey Matter is a great thing.

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They say real love is remembering her birthday but not which one.

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Sailor A: "Our ship is so big the captain travels around the deck in an airplane."

Sailor B: "That's nothing. The galley on our ship is so big the cook has to go through the Irish stew in a submarine to see if the potatoes are done."

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'WAY BACK WHEN

Frank Fairborn, Jr.

THE OLD THIRD READER REPLETE WITH TRAGEDY

Those who attended school prior to 1909—and that means many of you who scan these pages—will probably be able to recall the series of school books known as the "Ross Readers" (Sir George W. Ross was once Minister of Education for Ontario). These books were copyrighted from 1885 until about 1909 and consisted of the Primer, First Book, Second, Third and Fourth Readers.

Considering the rapidity with which school text books are changed now-a-days, the fact that these readers remained in use for 25 years is worth noting. Certainly the pocketbook of parent and taxpayer benefitted. And the graduates from the schools must have been fairly well informed, or else there is a mass of middle-aged dollards abroad in the land today.

But to get back to the subject—of all the old Ontario Readers, the Third Reader was the most remarkable. More than half a century has gone by since this reader was introduced into the schools of the province. They have long since been discarded and several newer books have taken their place. It is generally presumed that something newer is something better. In the case of the old Third Reader this presumption cannot help but be correct, because it is doubtful if any other school book was so replete with tragedy.

Who was the unhappy being, it has often been asked, who dominated the selections of that mournful volume? From what form of melancholia did he suffer? With what ideals of martyrdom was he imbued? What dark purpose did he hold before himself, in electing to fill with tales of tragedy and death, a volume dedicated to the use of children? May it not be that to the forceful melancholy of his temperament we owe much of whatever pessimism darkens our own. Let us go back 35 or 40 years to the days when we waded through those moody pages and call to mind their blighting effect on our then unclouded minds.

Remember the first lesson in the Third Reader where the "White Ship", "manned by fifty sailors of renown," set sail for England. We saw the brave ship tossing wildly on the waves. We dreamed not of impeding disaster and how horrid was our surprise when the crash came and "a terrific cry broke from three hundred hearts—for the White Ship was filling and going down." And of all that brilliant company the poor butcher of Rouen alone was saved. Two hundred and ninety-nine lives lost! It stopped our childish heart-beats for a second.

We turned, however, with optimism of early childhood to the second selection. Casabianca stood then on the burning deck, but until we arrived at stanza nine we guessed not at his insistence upon that hackneyed standpoint:

"There came one burst of thunder sound;
The boy—Oh! Where was he"
It dawned but slowly upon us that he, too, was lost in the waves.

Closely following one another came tragedy after tragedy. There was little Lucy Gray, "the sweetest child that ever played beside a human door," who was drowned in the river. There was the "Poor Little Match Girl," who died in the snow with all her burnt matches beside her. "The Sands o' Dee" we scarcely understood, but it also seemed to end in tragedy, for:

"They rowed her in across the rolling foam
To her grave beside the sea."

We were now becoming callousd and it hardly shocked us when in lesson 15 our boy acquaintance, Prince Arthur, met his untimely end. "He knelt then and prayed them not to murder him. Deaf to his entreaties they stabbed him and sank his body in the river with heavy stones." Terrible to be sure—but to be expected in the Third Reader.

In "We are Seven," only two out of the seven succumbed and we were almost bored by the uneventfulness of the narrative. "The Wreck of Hesperus" put us again in touch with disaster. We viewed the frozen body of the father "with his face turned to the skies." "The Heroic Serf" seemed to be of an original turn of mind and escaped the usual watery ending by throwing himself to the wolves.

And so the melancholy continued through "Dinah Binding Shoes", "Lord Ullin's Daughter" and "The Inchcape Rock."

Being now fully assured of the inevitableness of disaster by water we entered upon a complete course of land catastrophe and we learned that the field of battle was as fatal as the treacherous waves. We recall "The French at Ratisbon" where the youthful soldier fell dead at the feet of Napoleon; "Zloban," with its death in the battle with the Zulus; "Home They Brought Her Warrior Dead," "A Soldier of the Legion Lay Dying in Algiers," and on and on.

What dirges were the "Burial of Moses," "The Burial of Sir John Moore," and the death scene in "The May Queen."

Drownings, murders, shootings, stabbings, funerals and everything morbid went into the old Third Reader. In all that repertoire of gloomy melody, only once is struck a note of optimism. It is found in: "There's a good time coming, boys,

A good time coming.
We may not live to see the day,
But earth shall glisten in the ray
Of the good time coming."

From this light-hearted jingle, we received the assurance that the fog would, some day lift. By means of it a generation of Ontario children had left a gleam of hope in their hearts. We have—most of us—thank heaven—lived to "see the day" when a lovely new, sunshiny Third Reader rose above the horizon, and bid a gloomy, yet glad, farewell to our venerable and melancholy friend!

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THE LIFE OF A PUBLISHER

One issue is through, then you sit down (sez you),
And you've nothing to do till the next,
But alas and alack, this isn't a fact,
For the Lino is crying for text.
So you take off your coat, and you scan every note,
And the mill you keep driving till hazy,
And you'll make a good "rag," if you don't stop to brag,
And if you're not awfully lazy.
For the machine must be fed, and let it be said,
It's hungry and takes lots of feeding,
But life's on its way, and each passing day,
Events are both subtle and speeding.
You grow old and grey, as each story you play,
For headlines are rare and elusive,
And you'll learn as you live, that facts are a sieve,
And nothing but death is conclusive.
So when one issue's done, you'll rest not, my son,
But you'll bear down and be a go-getter;
And maybe some day your public will say,
"Your paper gets better and better."

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SCENIC GRNDEUR

A few miles fronthis place is the Fifty, situated mile from the lake. The scener here is truly delightful; for a nsiderable distance a row of shady ees overhang the edge of the ater, which, at times, comes lashig against their heavy trunks, imome places leaving their spreadin roots entirely naked. Reaching Grimsby, on the left, elegant frm houses with their orchards nced for the productiveness of delicius fruits, attract the eye of th stranger; whilst to the right, ring almost perpendicularly above, the same range of mountains dscribed in Nos. 1 and 2 of these sketches, wild and rugged grandeur. Presently we come upon the little church with its burial ground in front, and the parsoage house at the extremity. Within that little church-yard many are the sleepers that rest beneath, and many are het tombstones which mark out their resting place.

"Here sadly pleasing, memory loves to trace
The rude lines carved above the narrow space;
And scatter flowers on the early sod,
Which holds the clay whose soul has gone to God."

Through the upper part of the village a little stream runs rapidly over its irregular and rocky bed; the dissonance of the splashing mill-wheel and the clanking of machinery drowns the cadence of the waterfall below. Wending its way onward to the lake, sometimes gliding smooth and tranquilly along—anon dashing over some intervening barrier—the little rivulet traverses the now neglected haunts of the red man, shaded at intervals by tangling bushes and evergreens ,and with high rocks rising on either side. Here, where it empties into the lake, the Indian would launch his frail canoe, and, paddling along by the shore, wake the enlivening strains of his native tongue, or, by the light of the blazing flambeau, pursue his favorite occupation of fishing. By the side of this stream he would track the deer, or dislodge the raccoon from his resting place among the branches of the tall trees; but now, the solitude is unbroken, save by the occasional intrusion of some wily sportsman, who, unconscious of his whereabouts, is attracted thither in puruit of game.

There is a strange mixture of feelings, indicative of joy and sadness, in contemplating the scene before us; we exult in surveying its beauty and loveliness, yet we grieve to think of that almost extinct race who once gladdened it. The wild grandeur of the place, and its primitive aspect, all combine to render it attractive, and instil into the mind sentiments not easily eradicated. Who can gaze upon such a scene without feeling his thoughts aspire beyond the reach of human eye, and breathing forth his fervent aspirations to the throne of an all-wise and beneficent Creator?

A few miles from Grimsby is the beautiful village of Beamsville, delightfully located at the base of a sleeping eminence, adorned with several neat and handsome looking structures, evidently the residences of some affluent individuals; the manner in which they are beautified and the outlay incurred in rendering them desirable, is a clear indication of the affluence of their owners. The village in itself is devoid of that lively interest we are apt to see conspicously set forth; yet, if there is but little in interest, there is still less to dishearten such as would seek to live a life of pleasantry, wishing enjoyment only in the comforts a retired country village affords. Situated as it is, the sole drawback to its advancement, I presume, is the want of capital and enterprise—the two leading essentials in the march of improvement. Time would fail in enumerating the many places of interest with which this section of the country is diversified the cheerful homesteads of the old settlers, whose greatest happiness appears to be concentrated in thecultivation of the soil, and the fulfilment of their domestic duties, contribute much to the well-being of society.

A closer observer might perhaps have described beauties we have slightly passed over; others may think we have somewhat exaggerated the little we have attempted to portray; even be it so. We have contented ourselves with describing what cannot fail to nke a lasting impression on the nind, and which will ever retain seat in our memory.

Speeding Up

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DRIVE IS ON

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BURDOCKS GROW

scatter the seed from the burrs here, there and everywhere, hence the next year there are nine burdocks growing where one grew the year previous. Still no effort is made by anybody to eradicate them completely.

According to this gentleman, between the burrs and the dogs the "population" of the district is growing rapidly and we will soon be living in a forest of burdocks.

And on this question of burdocks he pens the following effusion:-

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"Tomorrow is the longest day in the year. Let us make it BURDOCK DAY. Let every loyal citizen spud his years in Burdocks. A septegenerian yesterday said he got his 70 in front of one vacant lot on Gibson Avenue—some with leaves four feet long and weighing five pounds. The burs of 1945 were still standing over seven feet high. The shorter ones had been carried away by dogs and boys playing unaware. Let us rid the town of this unsightly menace to freedom of play, of space and pride in our town. Let us spud our years in burdocks tomorrow. Let us be able to say, there is not a burdock on my street or lane."

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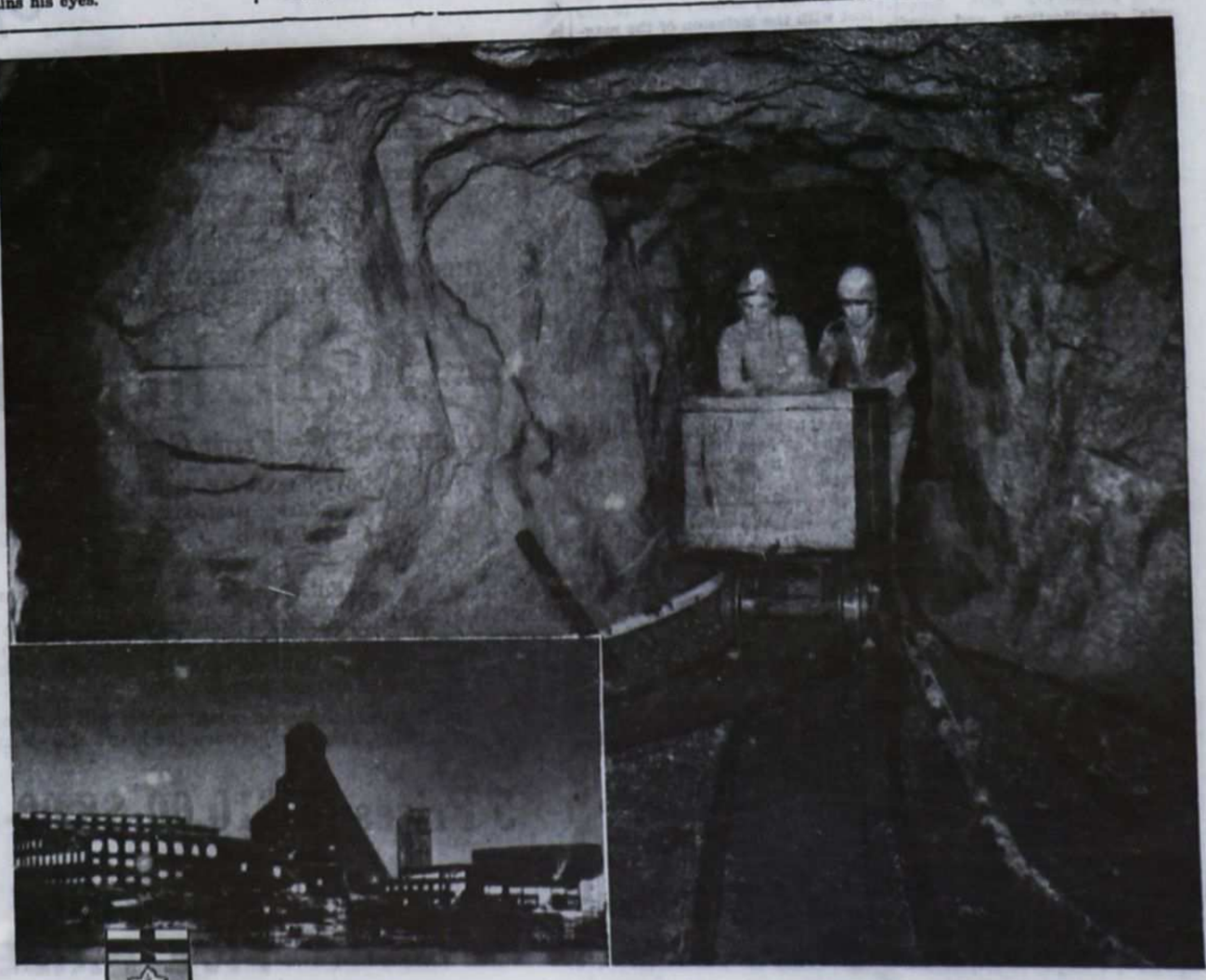

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goes nuts trying to get the advs. all in.

It is for this reason that we have had to lay "Gord" off. We are not going to have space for his Beamsville news, in fact we will not have, at times, enough space for Grimsby news.

Just where this situation is going to wind up no person can tell. All the papers in the country are up against the same thing, particularly the small town and village weeklies, so that The Independent is not alone in its misery.

We hope that our readers will bear with us during this time of shortage and we will when times become good more than make it up to them by giving them ever a bigger and a better newspaper than they have ever had before.

OLD TIMERS WOULD

one of the main projects was the renovating of the chambers. Working closely with the committee, architect Thomas Wiley drew up a plan for the room to include repainting and redecorating and enlarging by taking in the room formerly allotted to the police magistrate.

Work commenced about three months ago and proceeded sometimes rapidly and at other times more slowly but it did keep moving. Some discussion took place regarding the lighting system to be installed and the color scheme for the chambers but in every case, minor differences were overcome to the satisfaction of everyone.

The room has been enlarged lengthwise by some ten or twelve feet with the inclusion of the magistrate's office, giving more room for the councillors' desks and seating capacity for spectators. The walls and woodwork has been repainted and a new tile floor laid in the chambers and hallways. In addition to changes to the council chambers, a storeroom in the rear has been cleaned out and redecorated for use as a committee room.

It was hoped that the work would be completed last month in time for the general sessions of council but the problem of selecting the right shade of pain: for the room held work up for some days with the result that the council was forced to hold sessions in the court room. Work is now nearing completion and the chambers were ready for a gala opening on Tuesday when Warden Robert M. Johnston of Port Dalhousie called the council to order for the June sittings.

H, hum! Some people seem to never get fed up on baloney.

NOT MISQUOTED

was not misinformed or misquoted. He repeated his statement that the city was not living up to its agreement to pay two-thirds of the cost of the committee and added that when the city did so, the county would live up to its agreement and that in the meantime the cheque from the Citizens' Committee would be held by the county.

Reeve Cecil Secord of Grantham Township, 1945 Warden of Lincoln County rose to substantiate Warden Johnston's statement regarding the terms agreed to last year by the three civic bodies. "You were not misquoted or misinformed," he told Warden Johnston.

Formal opening took place Tuesday morning of the redecorated and enlarged council chambers. The members of the council filed their places from the new com- room in the rear of the chambe and remained standing until War Johnston took his chair. Warden Johnston spoke of the renovated chambers as "a credit and an asst to the County of Lincoln" and highly praised the work done by the cunty's maintenance men. His wods were echoed by various other members of the council and Reve Roy Saunders of Beamsville, chairman of the General Administration Committee in charge of the redecorating commended Clerk W. H. Millward for the interest and long hours of work whic he had done in connection with the wrk.

Two resolutions wee received by the council. One from the Bruce County Federation of Agriculture, Agricultural Committee of the Grey County Council, Grey County Federation of Agriculture and Grey County Agricultural Committee protested the present agricultural policy of the federal government relative to the maintenance of present ceiling prices. The resolution also demanded an immediate increase in the present ceiling price of beef and that in event of no action being taken by the government and Wartime Prices and Trade Board, a protest meeting be organized by the Ontario Federation of Agriculture at some central provincial point.

The second resolution was forwarded from the counties of Northumberland and Durham requesting that the Department of Highways pay the same subsidy of fifty percent for road maintenance to towns and villages as is now received by townships. The county was also invited by letter to become a member of the Canadian Good Roads Association.

Council approved a plan put forward by Warden Johnston to adjourn until Wednesday of next week. He pointed out that due to the fact that the high school and vocational school acounts had not been completed for presentation this week, a delay would be necessary. Council then adjourned to deal with finance committee matters this morning.

Figures that attract the eye are usually clad in a bathing suit.

TENDERS FOR COAL AND COKE

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The Department reserves the right to demand from any successful tenderer, before awarding the order, a security deposit in the form of a certified cheque on a chartered bank in Canada, made payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, equal to 10 per cent of the amount of the tender, or Bearer Bonds of the Dominion of Canada or of the Canadian National Railway Company and its constituent companies unconditionally guaranteed as to principal and interest by the Dominion of Canada, or the aforementioned bonds and a certified cheque, if required to make up an odd amount.

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SPORTOLOGY

(By Bones Livingston, Sportologist)

THEY'RE A BINGLE BANGLING BUNCH — GRIMSBY PEACH BUDS went to town in a big way with the bat on Saturday afternoon when they played a second game with the DODGERS of Hamilton, last years City Juvenile Champions. They larruped the visitors 16-2 and in so doing smashed out 23 safe hits including two homers by AITON with one on the sacks and RUSHTON. DODGERS secured their two tallies in the first frame but from then on AITON, the southpaw, had them handcuffed and pleading for mercy. The kid pitched a swell game and was really steering a winning ship at all times. His support in the infield was superb, for a bunch of youngsters. BUDS scored as follows: 1-3-2-4-2-1-1-0—The BUDS will stack up against the crack CALEDONIA juvenile team on the local ball lot on Friday night, 6.15. The lads from the Grand River country are a smart aggregation and will give the locals a terrific tussle, if they do not succeed in trimming them. Last Saturday a goodly crowd of fans was on hand and was more than surprised at the brand of baseball that the kids were producing. We hope to see an even larger crowd present tomorrow night. If you go, do not forget the collection plate. Incidentally, AITON had 10 strikeouts to his credit on Saturday. Fair kind of ball tossing for a youngster just out of the crib.

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RING DOWN THE CURTAIN—GRIMSBY five pin bowlers are only 48 hours away from the cessation of hostilities for the season. The BOWL-AWAY closes on Saturday night. On Tuesday LITTLE WHIZZER and his better half—and I said better half—will hie themselves away to the hinterland of Northern Ontario on a six weeks camping and fishing trip. The finny tribe are not worrying one iota about his invasion of their watery habitat. In fact they rather welcome his coming for they are hungry for some nice, big, juicy worms. Around about the second week in August LITTLE TWO BY TWO will be back home and the finest kept bowling alleys in Ontario will get a thorough manicuring preparatory to the 1946 opening on LABOR DAY. This column is not building up any hopes of getting a fish dinner out of the expedition. . . . War Stamp winners on June 8th were VICKI METCALFE with 240 and UNCLE FREDDY SIMS with 329, the winners on June 15th were JANICE CORNWELL with 271 and TONY KONOPSKI with 294. . . . Next week we will tell you who the winners of the HEWSON and SON and CLARENCE W. LEWIS trophies are and that will ring down the curtain for the year. . . . Poor old PIRATES will be rudderless next season. Charlie Norman is being transferred to Hamilton. . . . The contract has been let with a tent manufacturing company to build an extra large hip pocket for the use of GAS RAHN to store next season's championship in.

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FRUIT BELT SOFTBALL LEAGUE—The Fruit Belt League is a flourishing little group of softball players meeting on various playing fields and having a whale of a time. This league was formed by the various groups of players through their own desire for competitive sport and has been in operation for several years in a small way.

This year the league has been considerably enlarged by the addition of three more teams. The executive committee is composed of the managers of each team, as follows:-

Stoney Creek, Orville Baker.
Stop 69, Lloyd Harper.
Fruitland, Frank Stewart.
Winona, Thomas Collins.
Grimsby, Percy Mason.
Grimsby Mountain, Gordon Metcalfe.
Smithville, "Doc." Lymburner.

Thomas Collins of Winona is the president of this league and Geo. Marfel's son Eddie is the hard working Secretary Treasurer.

The playing rules are the same as governs O.A.S.A. and each team supplies one umpire for each game.

Funds to operate the league are obtained only through the silver collections taken at each game.

The various teams are sponsored by different organizations or individuals in each district.

If some public spirited firm, group or citizens were to donate a cup for annual competition it might have a tendency to improve the competition.

The managers of the various teams can assist materially in the functioning of the league if they would report promptly the scores of all games.

The standing of the teams to June 7th is as follows:-

	P	W	L	Pts.
Smithville	8	8	0	16
Grimsby	6	5	1	10
Fruitland	8	5	3	10
Grimsby Mountain	8	2	6	4
Stop 69	6	2	4	4
Winona	6	1	5	2
Stoney Creek	6	1	5	2

There is the story of the Fruit Belt League and anyone wishing to see some smart softball should turn out and support these teams in their efforts to give the Fruit District organized sport.

SOFTBALL

Legion Riding The High Line

With Buchan pitching superb ball, Grimsby Legion team, on Monday night, paraded into Stoney Creek and gave the Creekers a nice tight game, but took the verdict by 9-7.

Legion was leading 9-3 at the end of the sixth, but Buchan weakened and the Creek raring to take advantage came through with some timely batting and snared four runs. Buchan became an Eskimo and from then on the Creek stood still. So did the Legion, but they had that two run margin, and in the philosophic words of Old Tom Warner, a goal is as good as a million, if you have that goal when the time bell rings.

Stoney Creek has a smart looking team and the fans are really turning out to see them play. As the season advances they will be better and will take any team in the league if they do not play heads up ball, and maybe then. In the meantime Legion team is going great guns. Took the supposed to be unbeatable Smithvillie team two straight games. But Grimsby fans are turning out in the reverse.

Better wake up, fans. Some mighty smart softball is being dished up in this Fruit Belt league, particularly by the Legion team. If you pass these games up then you are passing up a lot of fun, thrills and sport.

Simile: As hard to locate as a good listener.

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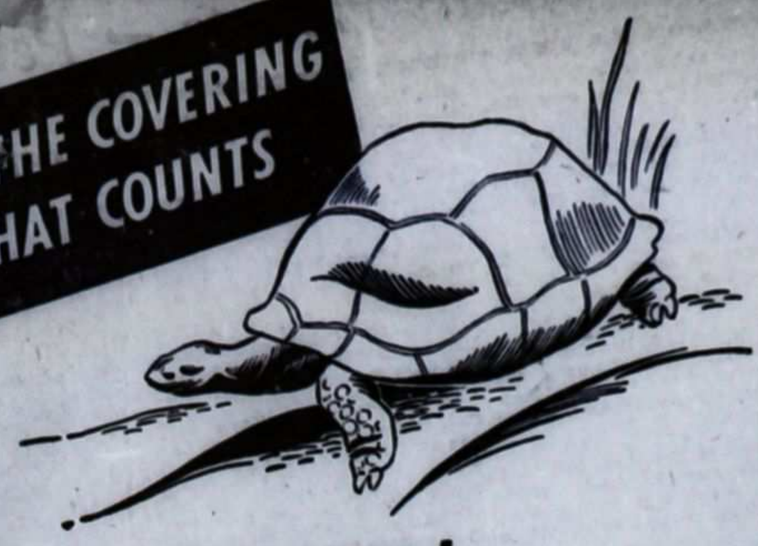

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Carnival Revelry Not For Hayworth

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Recently, Charles Vidor staged a lavish carnival at Columbia Pictures' studio for the Buenos Aires sequences of the romantic drama, "Gilda," which stars Miss Hayworth while featuring Glen Ford, George Macready and Joseph Calleia, and which will be on view at the Roxy Theatre the first three days of next week. The set, with its gaily costumed figures, its giant papier-mache masks, its serpentine-like confetti, accurately reproduced the carefree spirit of a Latin festival.

The confetti bothered Rita. It poured down on the actors, in a heavy, colored storm. It got into her eyes and ears. It made breathing difficult. And it got into Rita's hair, quite literally!

Each night before leaving the studio, Rita spent an hour in the hairdressing department, having the colored particles washed from her shoulder-length bob. The star's dinner was postponed that much longer each evening—and so Rita had good cause to wonder whether being a participant in a carnival was really as much fun as it appeared to be to a casual bystander.

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J. Currie and Mrs. Flett, Melissa, were visitors in town over the weekend.

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Provincial Constable Ike Robbie, Mrs. Robbie and children were guests at the Village Inn over the weekend.

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Mrs. T. Murphy of Mountain St., has returned home after visiting friends in St. Catharines, Stamford and Niagara Falls.

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Postmaster L. A. Bromley was in Toronto last week attending the convention of the Canadian Postmasters, Association, at the King Edward hotel.

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Harry and Mrs. Campbell and daughter, former Grimsby residents, now living in Orlando, Fla., are visiting in the district for a month.

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Mrs. R. E. Roberts of New York City and Miss Bernice Hawke of Toronto, are holidaying with their parents A. F. and Mrs. Hawke, Main east.

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Mrs. M. Stephen, 29 Elizabeth St., spent a few days last week in Hamilton, the guest of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Woods.

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Miss Jewel DelaPlante, of Grimsby beach, who was operated upon in West Lincoln Memorial hospital, on Saturday night, is making fine progress toward recovery.

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Mrs. D. E. Dunning, (formerly May Schofield), of Seattle, Washington, has been spending her vacation with her sisters, Mrs. E. M. Brooks and Mrs. Wm. Layton, Robinson St. N.

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Mr. Donald Walters and his English bride, also Mr Douglas Walters of London were week-end visitors of their sisters, Mrs. Arthur Henley of Grimsby and Mrs. Donald Gamble of Grimsby Beach.

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Mrs. Robert Hillier, Mrs. Harry Wilson and Mrs. Clifford MacCartney attended the annual convention of the Rebekah Assembly of Ontario held at the Royal York, Toronto this week. Mrs. Hillier has been elected as District Deputy President for Hamilton District No. 15 for the coming term.

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The many friends in this district of Charles H. Bromley, now residing in Hamilton, Bermuda, will be pleased that he is able to be up and around again after his recent severe illness. He and Mrs. Bromley will sail from Bermuda on July 29th, returning home to Grimsby to live.

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Capt. Ernest and Mrs. Greisbach and little daughter Joanne, of Colingwood, visited with J. Orion and Mrs. Isabel Livingston on Saturday evening. Capt. Greisbach was the skipper in command of the steamship Goderich that caused so much trouble with striking seamen on the Welland canal two weeks

Mrs. Wm. Shelton of Hamilton visited friends in Grimsby last Friday.

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Charles and Mrs. Norman will go North on Monday for a two weeks vacation.

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"Scotty" and Mrs. Mackay of Toronto were visitors in town on Sunday.

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Misses Edith Coker and Georgina McDougall, Winona, are holidaying this week in New York City.

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Inspector George MacKay of the C. I. D. Provincial Police was a five minute visitor in town on Monday.

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Wm. Rennie, the new publisher of The Beamsville Express paid his first visit to The Independent on Monday.

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Mrs. Lois Wightman and little daughter of Toronto, spent Monday with her parents A. F. and Mrs. Hawke.

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Mr. and Mrs. Norman Tice of Kenmore, N.Y., called on Mr. and Mrs. James Fisher, Oak St., Sunday afternoon

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Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Melrose of Peterborough visited their daughter Mrs. Ted Fisher, Robinson St. South, last week.

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Mr. J. C. Dafoe, Robinson St., is attending the Canadian Order of Foresters Convention at Quebec City this week.

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Rev. G. A. McLean, will commence his Pastorate of Grimsby Baptist church on this coming Sunday morning.

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Rev. Father Kohut of the Basilian Fathers, was in Nesquehoning, Pa., over the weekend officiating at the wedding of his sister.

Brownies

The meeting of June 4th was spent in testing of work, and in songs and games.

On Saturday, June 8th, the Brownies were greatly thrilled to be taken to Hamilton to see Lady Baden-Powell, wife of the Founder of Scouting and Guiding.

On June 11th the regular meeting was held with more tests.

At The Inn

The Duncan-Wilcox nuptials reception was held in The Oak Room on Wednesday afternoon last.

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Mrs. H. Brillinger of Hamilton entertained her bridge club at dinner on Friday evening last.

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Mrs. Helen Elmer entertained her bridge club at dinner last evening.

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On Saturday night the Queen's University Alumni will hold a private dinner dance in The Oak Room. It is expected that over 200 will be present.

C.P.R. Tailors Chairs for Comfort

FIT THE BODY: Scientifically recorded measurements of 3,867 persons in seated posture was the basis of these Sleepy Hollow chairs, best ever devised for comfort, which the Canadian Pacific Railway is installing in 35 new air-conditioned passenger coaches on which delivery is expected early in 1947. Built to "give" with body curves and distribute weight properly the new chair is sometimes referred to as the Hooton chair, because of research done by Dr. Earnest Hooton of Harvard University whose experts took the measurements of the better than three thousand volunteers in railway terminals of two of America's largest cities. For shoe-shedders an adjustable footrest is provided, (inset), it having been determined women like to ride in stocking feet as they nap. Cost of the new chairs alone will be more than $300,000, with this figure being part of a four million-dollar appropriation, the first large passenger equipment order it has been possible to make since 1939, with double bedroom-roomette cars and express-baggage cars as well as passenger coaches included in the appropriation. The Canadian Pacific is the first railway in the Dominion to approve the new chairs and it will further pioneer in the 35 new coaches with the installation of the first electrically refrigerated water coolers on a Can-

Nuptials

DURHAM—LAMPMAN

In the Baptist Church, Fonthill, the wedding was solemnized June 8, with Rev. W. J. Wismer officiating, of Donna Clarice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clair Lampman, Fonthill, and Mr. Harley Durham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Durham, Grimsby.

Mr. Mervyn Thomas, Welland, presided at the organ, and Miss Carrie Durham, Grimsby sang.

Given away by her father, the bride wore a white satin gown, her long illusion veil arranged with a heart-shaped headdress. She carried red roses. Miss Jacqueline Lampman in pink, and Miss June Lampman and Miss Helen Jenkins in pale blue, with little Miss Patricia Durham, as flower girl, dressed in yellow, attended the bride. They carried nosegays of roses and sweet peas.

Mr. Fred Willett, Niagara Falls, N.Y., was groomsman, and Messrs. James and Jack Durham, Grimsby, ushered.

A reception for 75 guests was held in the church parlours, the couple leaving later for a trip to Pennsylvania.

SWEET—GRIFFIN

Rev A. T. F. Holmes officiated at the wedding, which took place in the Church of St. John the Evangelist, Hamilton, on Saturday Amber Belle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E Archibald Griffin, Smithville, became the bride of Mr. John Bernard Sweet, son of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Sweet, Grimsby Beach.

A white sheer gown with full-length veil and headdress of orange blossoms was worn by the bride, given in marriage by her father. She was carrying red roses. Miss Norma Griffin attended her sister, and was gowned in pink silk jersey with matching headdress and shoulder-length veil. Mixed flowers formed her bouquet.

Mr. Ray Cosby, Smithville, was best man, while Mr. Ralph Sweet, Grimsby Beach, and Mr. Daniel Merritt, Smithville, were ushers.

The church was decorated with peonies and ferns. Mr. E. H. Crickmore presided at the organ, while Mr. Jack Tolson sang Until, during the ceremony, and Through the Years, at the signing of the register.

The reception for 30 guests, afterward, was held at The Pines. The bride's mother received, attired in a navy and white figured sheer and crepe redingote, with corsage of red roses. The mother of the groom, assisting, wore a rose figured sheer with corsage of pale pink carnations.

Leaving on a honeymoon trip to points North, the bride travelled in a figured silk jersey dress, with black hat and accessories, and corsage of mauve and yellow sweet peas. The bride and groom will make their home in Smithville.

TUCKER—SHEPHERD

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Beamsville, beautifully decorated for the occasion, was the scene of a very pretty wedding on Saturday afternoon, June 15th, when June Marie, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shepherd, became the bride of Joseph Gordon Tucker, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Tucker. The Rev'd L. Young, D.D., officiated.

The bride was charming in a dress of white satin with lace yoke, tight-fitting bodice and full skirt, with train and floor-length veil. She carried white gardenias with cascade. Given in marriage by her father, she was attended by Mrs. Alan Purdy, who was gowned in yellow nylon with matching lace bonnet, and carried a bouquet of orchid sweet peas and Talisman roses.

The bridesmaids and flower girl were attired in orchid sheer dresses with sweetheart necklines, torso waistlines and full skirts. Flowered headdresses and bouquets or orchid sweet peas and Talisman roses completed the ensemble. The bridesmaids were Miss Isabel Shepherd, sister of the bride, and Miss Betty McMartin, a cousin. The flower girl was little Beverly Ann Shepherd, youngest sister of the bride.

The groom was attended by Mr. David S. Mountain, of Beamsville, and the ushers were James Shepherd and James Duncan.

Mr. Wm. F. Tufford, organist, played for the wedding.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in The Oak Room of the Vliage Inn, Grimsby, the bride's mother receiving in a lime coloured mesh dress with red accessories, and wore a corsage of gardenias. The groom's mother was attired in a grey and blue flowered silk dress with white accesories, and a corsage of sweet peas completed her ensemble.

Among the out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. H. Dennis, Toronto; Dr. and Mrs. W. Tucker, Port Hope; Mr. and Mrs. A. Hyndman, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Landry, Niagara Falls, N.Y.; Misses Agnes and Isabel Higgins, of Buffalo, N.Y.; Mr. and Mrs. H. Goodman, Toronto, and Mr. and Mrs. Will Ford, Arthur, Ont

Followng the reception the couple left on a motor trip through Northern Ontario. The bride wearing a pearl grey suit with black accessories for her travelling costume.

Upon their return they will reside in Beamsville

DUNCAN—WILCOX

The lovely garden of Mr. and Mrs. R. Wilcox, Beamsville was the setting for a pretty wedding on June 12th, when their daughter, Miss Betty May Wilcox, became the bride of Mr. Charles David Duncan, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Duncan, of Beamsville. The ceremony was conducted by the Rev'd W. C. Almack.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a hyacinth blue embroidered swiss gown. Her hat, with sweetheart brim, was of the same material, and she carried a nosegay of sweet peas, roses and lilies of the valley.

In attendance upon the bride was her sister, Mrs. Wm. Greenwood, as matron of honour, with Miss Norma Overholt, of Vineland, as bridesmaid. The groomsman was Mr. M. F. Cliff, of Toronto.

The wedding music was provided by Mrs. J. B. Stallwood, and Mrs. George Shepherd, aunt of the bride, sang "Because," and "I'll Walk Beside You."

Following the ceremony a reception and supper was held at the Village Inn, Grimsby; the bride's mother receiving in a gown of delphinium blue crepe and tuscan hat with satin trim. Her corsage was of pink McCready roses. She was assisted by the groom's mother, wearing an aqua dress with matching hat and corsage of Johanna Hill roses.

The bride's going away costume was a powder blue suit with pink and black accessories. With it she wore a corsage of pink McCready roses.

Guests were present from Toronto, Brantford, Fort Erie and St. Catharines.

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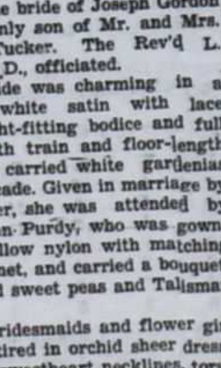

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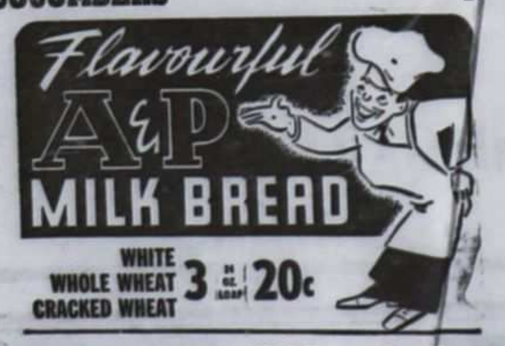

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Women' Institute

At the Lincoln County annual meeting of the W's Institute held in St. Catharines last week, Grimsby presented a resolution that the minimum wage of a man should be 65 cents an hour so that women would not be forced to work. There was some disagreement over this and the resolution was tabled. Grimsby also presented a resolution that all couples wishing to marry should first have a certificate of health from their doctor. This was carried.

Grimsby Girl Is Honor Student

Niagara Falls, Ont., June 14—Miss Anne Marie Passer, of Grimsby, receiving the Mary Ward Scholarship for the resident student having the highest grading in Grade XII, the gold medal for Christian doctrine in Grade XII and the Governor-General's medal for English literature tonight, at the 85th annual graduation exercises of Loretto Academy.

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NOTE:- Miss Passer is a former pupil of Grimsby High School, and was a very bright, studious scholar.—Ed.

Brides Arrive On Queen Mary

Three more English brides, and two little children, of Grimsby servicemen arrived this week, having crossed the Atlantic on the Queen Mary.

Mrs. Elsie F. Downs, wife of Gnr. E. L. Downs, 36 Depot street.

Mrs. Joan K. Mason and three months old daughter Yvonne, wife and baby of Pte. R. C. Mason, Elizabeth street.

Mrs. Irene A. Twocock and one year old son Terrance, wife and son of Pte. A. D. Twocock, 44 Depot street.

Welcome, thice welcome.

Legion Auxiliary

On June 12th, the Ladies Auxiliary of the Legion, at their second monthly meeting, witnessed the initiation of six new members.

Plans for the summer was the main topic of the evening, and the meeting for July will be held at the home of Mrs. Banks, at the Beach. Those who will be going are asked to meet in front of the Legion Hall, at seven forty-five (p.m.)

After the meeting, tickets were sold on a pair of lovely bath towels and the lucky winner was Mrs. D. Scott.

Beaver Club

The June meeting of the Beaver Club was held Monday evening, June 7th, at the home of Mrs. Lillian Garnham, Grimsby Beach. Thirty members and friends were present.

An amusing reading entitled "Mother's recipe for white fruit cake" was contributed by Mrs. Donald McGregor. Mrs. Garnham provided a very interesting and enticing contest for which prizes were given to Mrs. G. Carson and Mrs. W. Lawson.

It was arranged to have the next meeting July 15th, at the home of Mrs. George Dousett, 48 Robinson St. South. Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. J. L. Dunham and Miss Pat Dempster who served a delicious repast of strawberries, cream and cake.

I.O.D.E. Play Was Pleasing Event

The citizens of Grimsby who are so loyally supporting the I.O.D.E. War Memorial fund, were given a real treat on Friday night last, when the Theatre Guild of St. Catharines presented a Play—The Penthouse Legend—in Trinity Hall.

Laughter rang through the hall as our Mayor and eleven other equally prominent gentlemen were, without being previously informed, called upon to act as jurors in a very tense murder trial,

The very professional cast directed by Mrs. Audrey Brighty, proved to the audience that the art of amateur dramatics has not passed from our present day amusements, but instead the Theatre Guild offered a play, that, from the beginning, was most amusing, intensely dramatic and full of surprises.

All of these emotions were reflected on the faces of the jurors, who, even though they spent almost three hours in the cramped quarters of the jurors box on hard chairs, all pronounced enthusiastic praise for the whole performance.

We hope that we may again have the pleasure of presenting these players in Grimsby and wish to take this opportunity of again thanking Mrs. Brighty, Director, the Cast and the Jurors for a splendid performance and those who were present for their continued support of our efforts.

Mrs. I. Phelps, Convener.

June 14th—To Donald and Mrs. Awde, Grimsby, a daughter.

June 15th—To Wm. and Mrs. Laba, Grimsby, a daughter.

June 16th—To Elmer and Mrs. Cosby, Grimsby, a son.

Eastern Star

Grimsby Chapter No. 195, O.E.S., held a successful Strawberry Tea in the Masonic Hall on Tuesday evening. Mrs. Arthur Clark was in charge of the refreshments and Mrs. Chester Elmer in charge of the entertainment. Those contributing to the program were Miss Patricia Harrison, Miss Ruth Clark, Mrs. H. Betzner, Mr. and Mrs. B. Q'Part.

St. John's W.M.S.

Mrs. L. Larsen opened her home Thursday last for the final meeting of the season of the W.M.S. of St. John's Presbyerian Church. There was a splendid attendance of members. Mrs. F. McAvoy, Mrs. H. Young and Mrs. J. Wray had charge of the devotional period.

Reports of the Sectional Meeting in Stoney Creek were given. The secretary reported the presentation of a book to Mrs. W. E. Burke who had been the society's secretary for a number of years .

A paper on the life of Mary Slessor was read by Mrs. W. H. Morris.

Plans were made for a tea for the mothers and babies of the Cradle-roll department. Mrs. Wm. Sangster's invitation to have it at her home on Friday, June 21st wras accepted.

At the close of the meeting a pleasant time was enjoyed over the tea cups, Mrs. L. Larsen was assisted by Mrs. John Dick, Mrs. J. Scott and Mrs. H. Young.

A vote of thanks was extendeed to Mrs. L. Larsen for her hospittality by Mrs. J. Dick.

I.O.D.E.

The Lincoln Loyalist Chapter I.O.D.E. will hold their regular meeting at Miss Olive Kitchen's, Main St. East, Monday, June 24th, at 2 o'clock.

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FOOD AND CLOTHES FOR BRITAIN

The following information from I.O.D.E. headquarters is published in reply to many requests. Food Parcels for Britain.

It is impossible for the Order to secure a Permit for exporting food, therefore if members and friends wish to send food packages personally to individuals in Great Britain we shall endeavour to secure names and addresses to forward to them upon request.

Suggestion—Those organizations who so generously adopted soldiers during the war might adopt a British family now.

Clothes for Britain — Chapters are urged to keep up the sewing and knitting for British children during the summer so that large quantities may be ready for shipment by September .Get your supplies from Mrs. George Warner or Mrs. L. A. Bromley .

Women's Institute

Members of Grimsby Women's Institute met on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Lester Larsen, Livingston Avenue.

A pot-luck supper was plamed for the evening of June 27th at 6:30 at the home of Mrs. W. Ransom, 11 Robinson South. Each member is asked to bring cup, spoon and plate.

Miss Isabel Price, Grimsby District School Nurse, attended the meeting and gave a short talk on the Well Baby Clinic. On Tuesday, the 18th, the Clinic handled 23 babies, 10 of whom were newcomers. A great deal of praise has come from the young mothers of the town for the work carried on by Dr. Mather and his attendants.

Mrs. Andrew Hermiston was appointed assistant hostess, replacing Mrs. Chas. Norman, who is taking up residence in Hamilton.

A paper on Agriculture was given by the convener, Mrs. Larsen, who also reported on the District Annual held in Knox Presbyterian Church, St. Catharines, on June 12th.

Several plans were discussed for the Fiftieth Anniversary of Grimsby Branch of the Women's Institute, which will be observed next year.

Mrs. Lester Larsen and Mrs. Frank Burton were appointed to present the gift donated by the W.I. to the pupil in Grade VIII of the Public School who fulfils the requirements of the Bible reading course. Miss Albina Klovak had the honour of receiving the award.

Mrs. Roy St. John and her committee served refreshments and a social half-hour followed.

The Institute's next meeting will be held on July 16th at the home of Mrs. Frank Burton, Paton St.

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"Schools Out" for most of us as was easily gathered by the droves of jubilant G.H.S.'ers celebrating—well just plain celebrating on Main Street Friday—after the last exam was finished. This week of course is a bit trying for the more conscientious, as we haven't got the results yet. Maybe this explains the carefreeness of some!

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Don't forget the report cards will be waiting in the principal's (P.V.) office ready to be taken home Friday afternoon, June 21, at 3.30 p.m., or Monday evening, June 24th at 7.30 p.m.

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Just before the exams began the students were called to a mass assembly in the auditorium. Mr. Smith spoke to the graduating clas wishing them every success in the future. Alison Jeffries then paid tribute to two popular teachers who are leaving the staff, Miss Hosford to pursue further studies at University and Mrs. Jones to resume her duties as wife. They were presented with gifts from the student body.

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The twenty-five boys headed for Camp Niagara evidently didn't know that trains go on standard time for they were an hour early on Monday morning for the train! Mr. Awde is also attending the Cadet Camp.

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The members of Miss Hosford's "Indergarten Class" took their hary John and Peter books home or further study during the summ months.

Paid-Up List

Norman Gadsby, Grimsby Beach	May '48
Mr. A. F. Hawke, Grimsby	June '47
Mr. Thomas Kozachuk, St. Anns	June '47
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Merry-Go-Round

One Manhattan family of three, who literally never know from day to day where their next bed is coming from, have been paying rent since last September, but have never, in that time, had a place to call their own. Re-united in the fall, the ex-navy officer, his wife and child, had neither house nor flat, nor hope of one. For eight months they have been running the gamut in hotels. Every day Mrs. X tours the town, taking three suitcases with her. Wherever she finds accommodation for the night, or the next few days, she registers. After school and office hours, her daughter and husband meet at their last resting place for directions before pushing on. They haven't mislaid each other yet, Mrs. X says, but it's a threat.

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And rationing? Don't for a minute imagine it was invented by Government officials! Credit your grandmother—and her grandmother—all those good homemakers right back to the time when men, in fear and trembling, first gave in to the revolutionary idea that women should do the family spending, or 85% of it, anyway. You, too, being a housewife in the good old tradition, plan just how much you are going to buy of the different necessary items each week or month (or do you?). So much for butter, so much for sugar and preserves, for bread, meat and all the rest of the household supplies. When there's a seasonal increase in the ceiling price of eggs, for instance, you use fewer until the season when the hens get into mass production and the price of their product drops.

The same way with butter. A pound will outlast its usual lifetime and your butter column in the budget will show a saving in money if you do the clever tricks of giving everybody a small pat of butter instead of having the dish on the table, and by skipping it entirely at dinner, where it's superfluous. Also, the amount of butter called for in most recipes can be halved without anyone knowing the difference, and the cookbook (greedy thing!) usually calls for far more sugar than is necessary, too. The big two-pound jar of jam can be made to do duty for a couple of days longer, if none is wasted and it isn't spread too thickly.

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BY Anne Allan
HYDRO HOME ECONOMIST

Hello Homemakers: Many folks tell us, "Desserts are my worst problem." It is no wonder with fruit scarce, sugar low in supply and little fat and cornstarch. But if women with electric and wood stoves have difficulty thinking up desserts, the two-element-plate cooks are really up against it. They have to eliminate all those tempting oven-baked puddings and rely on top stove desserts exclusively.

Yet when you stop to think seriously about it and study cook books, you discover that the situation is not hopeless after all. Puddings, good ones too, can be made on top of the electric plate.

Today we list a number of dessert ideas, hot and cold, off the top elements. Add these to the ones you have already collected and your dessert problem will disappear.

DOUBLE BOILER COTTAGE PUDDING

1 cup sifted pastry flour, 1½ tsps. baking powder, ⅛ tsp. salt, 3 tbsps. soft shortening or buter, ½ tsp. vanilla, 1|3 cup sugar 1 egg, well-beaten, ⅛ cup milk, ½ cup jam or sweetened fresh or canned fruit, if desired.

Mix and sift flour, baking owder and salt. Cream shortening or butter, add vanilla then add sugar gradually. Add beaten egg and beat until mixture is light and fluffy. Add dry ingredients alternately with milk. Grease thoroughly top part of double boiler 1½ quart capacity). Put in jam or fruit, if used. Pour batter over jam or fruit. Cover and place over oiling water (in bottom part of double boiler). Cook for 1½ hours or until pudding is firm on top. Keep water boiling steadily. Turn out and serve with pudding sauce or cream. Yield: 4 to 6 servings.

NOTE: If pudding is made without jam or fruit, turn out and garnish with sieved prunes or serve plain with a fruit or any desired pudding sauce.

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TOP-OF-THE-STOVE SCONES

1 egg, 1/3 cup milk, 3 tbsps. mild-flavoured fat, melted, 1½ cups sifted flour, 3 tsps. baking powder, ½ tsp. salt, 2 tbsp. sugar.

Beat eggs, add milk and melted fat. Mix and sift ingredients and add to the milk mixture (mixture is very soft). Turn on to a floured board and pat out ½-inch thick. Cut in triangles. Heat frying pan and cover (preferably an iron pan) until very hot. Put scones in frying pan, cover and reduce the heat. Cook until well puffed and almost cooked, about 15 mins. Turn scones and brown slightly on other side. Serve hot like tea biscuits. Be sure to keep heat as low as possible during cooking, to avoid burning. Yield: 4 large or 8 small scones.

Anne Allan invites you to write to her c/o The Grimsby Independent. Send in your suggestion on homemaking problems and watch this column for replies.

Ho, hum! Darn few jobs are as easy as they seem.

LIFE-CYCLE he house fly lays up to 600 eggs such places as manure, garbage or human faeces.

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The blue-bottle (blow) fly has similar life-cycle and breeds in meat, garbage, human faeces and in wounds and sores of living animals.

HABITS AND DISEASE: The house fly passes directly from filth to human food carrying bacteria and other organisms. It is supreme as a simple carrier of diseases including typhoid, dysentry, diarrhoea, tuberculosis, etc. Blow fly larvae in wounds cause myiasis.

CONTROL: Clean up possible breeding places such as garbage dumps and manure piles. Manure should be kept in fly-proof receptacles and removed twice weekly. Spread manure thinly in fields to dry or place in compact piles with clean-cut edges to produce heat by fermentation. Spray top layer with one pound of borax to six gallons of water. Keep garbage in fly-proof receptacles and destroy by burning. Prevent flies from having access to human faeces. Screen foodstuffs and use sprays, aerosols, poisoned baits, etc. Dispose of carcasses and offal by burial or incineration.

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- OBITUARIES -

ARNOLD D. LAMPMAN

A very large concourse of people attended the last rites for Arnold D. Lampman, at the Stonehouse Funeral Home on Friday afternoon last. The funeral parlors were packed to capacity as Rev. W. J. Watt of Trinity United Church conducted the services beside the flag draped, flower banked casket of the young soldier.

Members of West Lincoln branch 127, Canadian Legion and of the Ladies' Auxiliary attended in a body.

Interment was in North Pelham cemetery where the simple but beautiful service of the Legion was conducted by Padre Rev. Francis McAvoy.

Casket bearers were John MacDougal, Joseph Hands, John Gimba, Reginald Ferris, Valter Clarke and Daniel English.

ISAAC N. RUSS

Isaac Norman Russ, 79, esteemed resident of Smethport, Pa., passed away at his home on East Green street Monday morning at 11:00 o'clock. He had been in poor health for some tine and his condition became serious three months ago.

Deceased was born on Jan. 15, 1867, at Lewiston, N.Y., the son of Morris and Margaret Russ.

He was married on March 15, 1905, to Miss Ruth Tutle, of Covington, Pa., who survives. Other survivors are three children, Clarence, of Olean, N.Y., Mrs. Leonard Tolsma, of Snyder, N.Y., and Miss Doris Russ, R.N., of Bradford; one sister, Mrs. Helen Book, of Grimsby Beach, Canada, and a grandson, Alan Tolsma.

Mr. Russ came to Smethport from DuBois, Pa., 36 years ago and had been employed continuously since they by Holmes & Gilfillan, until ill health compelled him to retire last December.

He was a member of the Smethport Methodist Church and the Smethport Proteced Home Circle.

Mr. Russ was a man of fine character, who was beloved by his family and highly respected by a large circle of fiends. He was noted for his industry and was held in the highest regard by his employers.

Funeral services were held at the family home on Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'dock. The Rev. E. J. Burton, miniser of the Smethport Methodist Curch, officiated.

Interment wasin Rose Hill Cemetery.

HARRY GEDDES

Harry Geddes, a native of London, Eng., and a resident in Beamsville for the past twenty-nine years, died on Sunday at the Gage Ave. military hospital, Hamilton.

Deceased was a veteran of the First World War and was in his 62nd year. He had been a processor at the Canadian Canners plant in Grimsby. He was also a member of the 20th Batt. Club of Toronto and of St. Albans Church, Beamsville.

Surviving are his widow, four sons, John and Norman at home, Wallace of Hamilton and Sidney in England; eight daughters, Mrs. L. Excell, St. Catharines; Mrs. David Roebuck, Evelyn, Joyce, Ruth, Margaret, Arlene and Rachel of Beamsville; 3 brothers, Percy of Pt. Colborne, Sidney and Frank in England; three sisters, Mrs. E. Meredith, Mrs. A. Keyes in London; Miss Grace, New York, also his father in England.

The funeral was held on Wednesday at 2.30 p.m. from his late home to St. Albans Church for service. Burial was in Mt. Osborne cemetery.

Card of Thanks

Mrs. Arnold Lampman and Joan, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lampman and family, wish to extend their heartfelt thanks to the many friends, neighbours and relatives, also places of business, for their beautiful floral offerings; and to all who kindly loaned cars in their recent bereavement. Special thanks to the West Lincoln Branch, Canadian Legion.

In Memoriam

TODD—In loving memory of our dear dad, Edward Todd, who passed away June 23rd, 1944.

Today recalls sad memories
Of a dear Dad gone to rest,
And the ones who think of him today
Are those who loved him best.
Ever remembered by his family.

BLAINE—In everloving memory of our little son, Bobby, fatally injured one year ago to-day, June 17th. Died June 18th, 1945.

Bobby honey, our lips cannot speak how we miss you—
Our hearts cannot tell what to say.
God only knows how we miss you
In our home that is lonesome to-day.
Very sadly missed; remembered always.

Daddy, Mummy

BLAINE—In loving memory of our dear little brother, Bobby. He was called to be an angel one year ago to-day, June 18th, 1945.

We cannot seem to realize,
Or know the reason why,
A brother with so much life ahead
Should so soon have to die.
Within our hearts we'll always keep
A special place for you,
And try to do our best in life
As you would want us to.
Always remembered. He was our little leader and we miss him so.

Judy, Gerry and Don.

JONES—In loving memory of our dear daughter and sister Irene, who passed away June 22nd, 1945.

God must have a beautiful garden,
For he only chooses the best;
He picked a rare and beautiful flower
When he called our daughter to rest.
For we often look at her picture,
She is smiling and seems to say;
"Don't grieve, I am only sleeping;
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Grassie News

(Mrs. Clifford Walker, Staff Correspondent)

Mr. Latka of Kirkland Lake, who purchased the farm from Mr. John Monaghan, held a dance at their home Friday evening.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Monaghan movedto Selkirk last week.

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Friends of Mr. Chas. Seeley will be pleased to hear he is up and around again. Sorry to report that little Bobby is now ill with pneumonia.

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Stanley Black accompanied Howrd Hysert on a fishing trip to Gorgian Bay. Returned Thursday wit a nice catch.

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A bseball game was held at GrassieFriday evening. The score was Perose—15, Grassie—11.

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Mr John Beamer and Mr. Burgess Bok have returned from their Northrn trip.

CONTINUATIONS

From Page One

NEW CEMETERY

The addition, originally part of Church property, later sold and in use as a peach orchard, is re-possessed by the Church. It has been cleared and prepared, fenced, seeded, and a large quantity of young trees set out. Already it presents a green and pleasant appearance and some of the lots have been reserved for puchases. The cemetery now extends to a line even with the westerly boundary of the High School property, and will in all probability look after the needs of the Church for another hundred years to come.

Following the Consecration, the Sacred rite of Confirmation was administered in the Church when 23 candidates received the Laying on of Hands. It is of interest to note that on that earlier occasion when Confirmation was not to be had annually as ti is now, Bishop Strachan confirmed 63 persons which is exactly the number which the present Rector has presented to the Bishop of Niagara in the three years of his rectorship.

The Sermon was preached by Bishop Broughall who was assisted in the service by the Rector, the Rev'd. E. A. Brooks, the Rev'd. E. F. Maunsell of Beamsville and the Rev'd. Ray Andrewes.

The newly-confirmed will make their first Communion in a body at the 8.30 a.m. service on Sunday next, June 23rd. At this service it is expected that a large number of the Congregation will be present to welcome them into full membership in the Church and to make their communion with them. The service at 11 a.m. will take the form of a Children's Flower Service.

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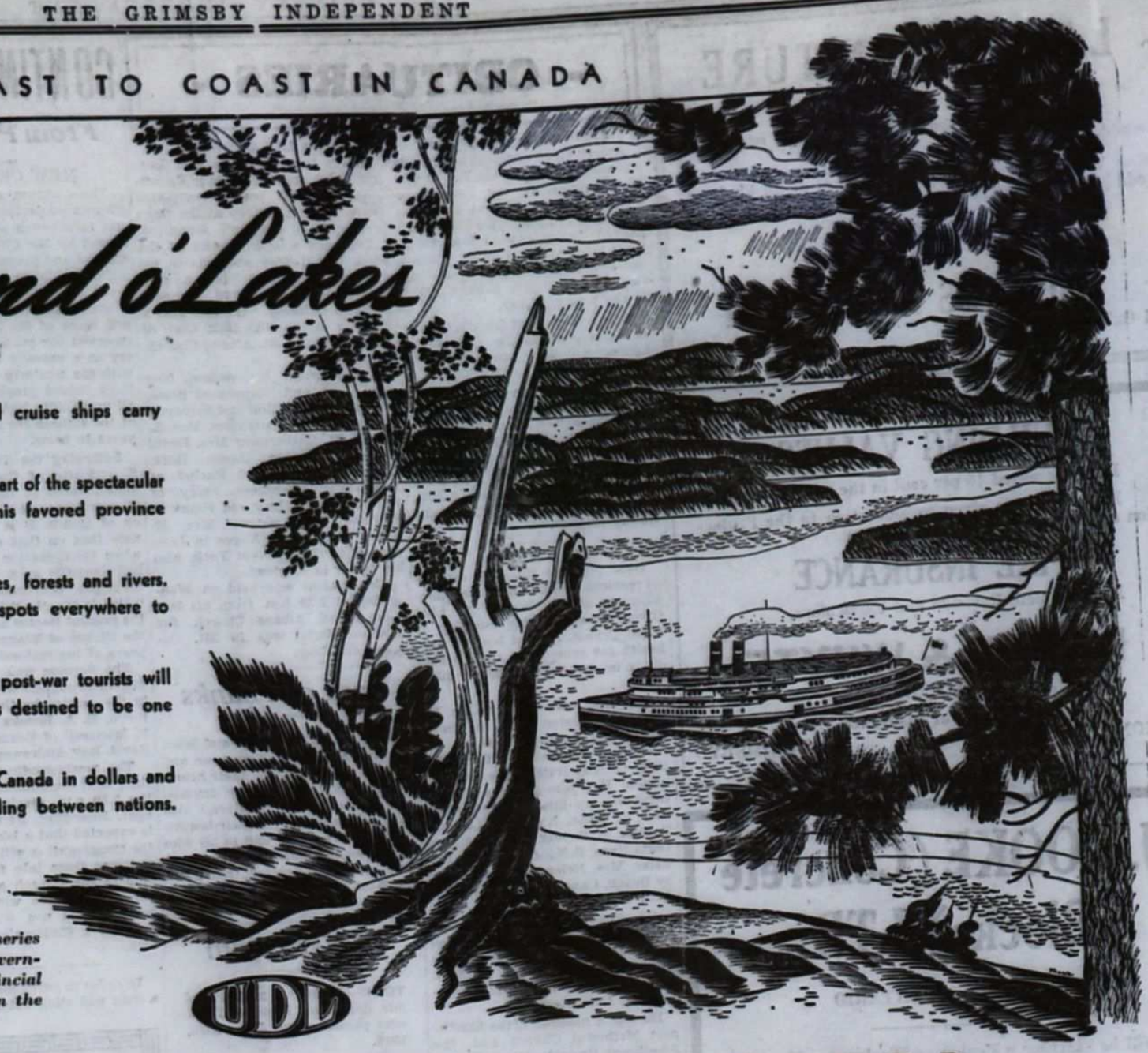

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BREVITIES

EVENTS and TOPICS of the WEEK in TABLOID .....

Cherries are dropping badly.

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Tomorrow is the first day of summer.

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There are a number of cases of chicken pox in town.

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The Bowlaway closes for the season on Saturday night.

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Art Hewson and Jack Newton are in the North Countree on a fishing trip.

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Fruit growers are having great difficulty securing enough help to harvest the strawberry crop.

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L.A.C. Roy Bowman, R.C.A.F., overseas for three years returned home to Grimsby last week.

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West Lincoln Concert Orchestra have been granted Letters of Incorporation under the Ontario Companies Act.

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Owing to the housing situation, Niagara-on-the-Lake Board of Education is seeking male teachers that are bachelors.

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President Geo. Marr of the Canadian Legion reports that another $73 has been received for the Cancer Fund which has been added to the $1,119 originally collect, and forwarded to County headquarters at St. Catharines. Grimsby had the largest collection for the fund in the county on a population basis.

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Nearly two-thirds of this year's taxes have been paid into the city of St. Catharines treasury, Finance Commissioner S. K. Watt said in a report to city council. The total levy for the year is $1,163,760 and $747,286 has been paid to date, a percentage of 64.21%, the largest ever. In 1942, for example, 59 percent of the current levy was collected at the first instalment and since that time only slightly more than 60 per cent had been received.

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The monthly meeting of the Lincoln County Pensions Board was held last Thursday under the chairmanship of Mr. George A. Headley. Four applications for mother's allowance were recommended by the board and one laid over for further consideration. Three applications for old age pensions were also recommended during the afternoon. Present with the chairman were: George Montgomery, Walter H. Sheppard, Mrs. W. H. Groce, Miss Jean Davidson.

License Plates Will Be Pretty

The color scheme for the 1947 motor vehicle license plates in this Province will be an eye-pleasing aluminum background with blak numerals and lettering. A sanple has already come off the production line at the Ontario Reformatory at Guelph, and there is no change in size or design. This is the first time that the Highways Department has used this color combination.

Because of the edict of the Steel Controller at Ottawa the wartime practice—deplored by law enforcement authorities—of issuing only one rear marker for each vehicle will continue for next year.

In 1945 the number of passenger cars and commercial vehicles, totalled approximately 550,000 and 98,000 respectively. Figures for this year are not complete, but up to the present do not exceed those of last year. Department officials doubt whether the peak figure of more than 600,000 in 1941 will be equalled.

Public schools will close for the summer holidays on Friday, June 28th.

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The new Mercury 114, will be on display at McKee's garage, Stoney Creek, tomorrow and Saturday.

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Grimsby Stove and Foundry plant is closed down this week with all employees having a week's holidays.

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The population of St. Catharines made a net gain of 78 during the month of May, according to the report of vital statistics issued by the city clerk's department. During May there were 121 births, the most since April, 1944. There were 43 deaths, and 41 marriages.

You don't hear of many cornerstone ceremonies nowadays. Maybe the black market has cornered most of the cornerstones.

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REAL ESTATE

The ollowing sales are reported by the ?. J. DelaPlante agency. The 78acre farm of S. J. Sniderman, onthe Ridge Road east, (the former Ike Sweet property) to Wilber Dmm.

The Woodview Survey, west of Beamsille, consisting of 100 acres whichwas bought by W. Congdon, last year, has now been sold off in different parcels of land.

Last summer the first home was ere.ed, which will be enlarged when the owner, retires from his teachig profession. This year a new huse, has been completed, and w. be occupied within a few days, nd another fine home is being erected. The original home on the property has also been re-modelled. iss Congdon now intends to sub-divide another property she owns.

Through the same office, the following farms have just been sold.

8 acres, with uildings, and all in fruit, just west of Beamsville, to K. Migus fro. Montreal.

50 acres, Soth Grimsby, with residence, and uildings. Purchaser Mary O. Jolly of Toronto. Vendor Fred Duck.

Cubbing

An Investiture ceremony sld in the open air was the highlint of last week's meeting. Two new chums, Jacie Baisley and Mrray Shaw toc their first big ste in Cubbing. Having pased their Tenderpad tests, ing passed their promise before the Pack and were placed in the parade circle about the totem pole.

In the game period the two teams captained by Douglas Kelterborn and Raymond Fisher were able to edge out their rivals.

While Bagheera took up the dues the Sixers instructed their groups in the trial signs that had been used the previous meeting.

This week's meeting will be the last for the season and will be in the form of a picnic. Cubs are asked to meet on Thursday at 6.00 p.m. instead of the usual time.

Varied Outlook For Fruit Crop

(Dominion Department of Agriculture)

It is still too early in the season, states the Dominion Bureau of Statistics fruit and vegetable crop report of June 1, to predict the outturn of the 1946 fruit crops, but in general prospects are somewhat brighter than last year.

In the Maritime Provinces the orchards had not bloomed as at June 1 but with favourable weather during the remainder of the season, the crop should be about normal.

Orchards in Quebec show the result of the unfavourable 1945 season, and production, while larger than in 1945, will be much below normal.

In Ontario, orchards have recovered considerably from the severe damage caused by frost and scab in the 1945 season. The 1946 crop is expected to be about average, while an above-average peach crop is looked for. The prospects for the plum and prune crop are still in doubt but pears and cherries will not be as good as the bloom indicated because of late frost damage. Strawberry production will be heavier than last season, the increase ranging from 5 to 10 per cent in Western Ontario to 20 per cent in Eastern Ontario. Raspberries are about the same as last year.

In Manitoba, the fruit crops were seriously reduced by late frosts which affected the tree fruits particularly.

In British Columbia, the prospects for all crops are bright. Peaches and apricots are particularly promising.

BIG MUSICAL SHOW

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